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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371			CONFIRMATION NO. 1474
			U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/596,070
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP2004/052892	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE November 9, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED November 27, 2003	
TITLE OF INVENTION SUCTION OR BLOWING CYLINDER			
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<p>Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. <input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to promptly begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (23) indicated below. <input type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (PCT Article 31). <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)). <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d) (4). <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). "Executed" <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). <p>Items 11 to 22 below concern other document(s) or information included:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Assignee: <u>VOITH PAPER PATENT GmbH, of Heidenheim, Germany</u> <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. <input type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. 1.76. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. <input type="checkbox"/> Figure of Drawing to be published: <u>1</u> <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d) (4). <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d) (4). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: Cover Letter. Cover Letter Regarding Executed Application. 			

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23 <input type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted: Basic national fee.....300.00				CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY
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Total Claims	9 - 20 =	0	x \$50.00	\$ 0.00	
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Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)			+ \$360.00	\$ 0.00	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$ 0.00	
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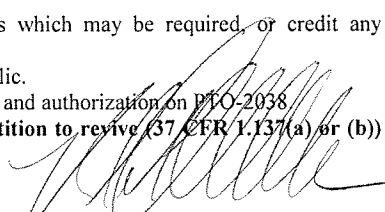
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Sir:

In order to comply with the requirements for the submission of an executed Declaration in the above-identified application, and prior to receipt of the Notification which should set a time limit for submission of materials, and further to the filing of the above-identified application and the filing fee on May 26, 2006, Applicant hereby submits:

- Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371;
- Two partially executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- a Cover Letter Regarding Executed Declaration; and
- a payment in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration.

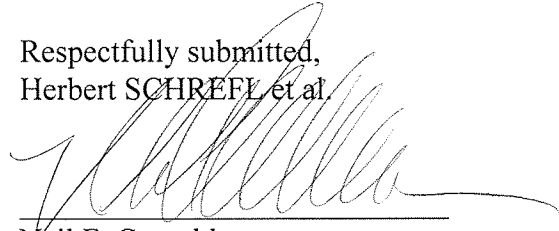
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Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed number.

Respectfully submitted,
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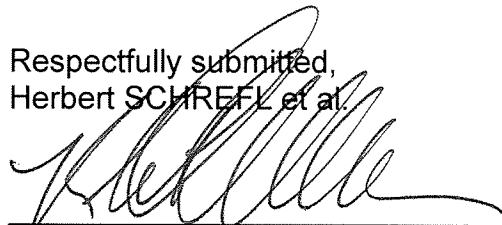
The undersigned submits herewith two partially executed declaration documents that are executed by all of the inventors of the above-captioned application.

In particular, Applicants note that one of the partially executed declarations is executed by all but the fifth of the seven inventors, and that the other partially executed declaration is executed by the fifth inventor. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is properly executed and should be considered as filed in executed form.

However, should the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determine that the present application is not properly executed, Applicants respectfully request that the present application be treated as an unexecuted application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) and (f).

Should there be any questions regarding this paper, please contact the undersigned at the below-listed number.

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A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Neil F. Greenblum', written over a horizontal line.

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